

****Update-Passenger Dies****

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Presented by Public Information Officer, Master Corporal Gary Fournier

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Danielle Cain, who was properly restrained, was airlifted by State Police Aviation to Christiana Medical Center where she is currently admitted in critical condition.

Jonese Y. Seymore, 58 of Dover, was not properly restrained and was transported by EMS to Christiana Medical Center where she was admitted with undetermined injuries. She died a few hours later from the injuries she sustained in the crash.

The Collision Reconstruction Unit is continuing their investigation into this incident and no charges have been filed at this time. It is unknown at this time if alcohol was a contributing a factor. Traffic was impacted for approximately two and a half hours while the crash was investigated and cleared.

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